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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. 1.27

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## 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES	
	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)	Small Entity	Fee (\$)
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300

## 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

## Fee Description

Each claim over 20 or, for Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent

## Small Entity

Fee (\$) Fee (\$)

50 25

Each independent claim over 3 or, for Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent

200 100

Multiple dependent claims

360 180

## Total Claims

## Extra Claims

## Fee (\$)

## Fee Paid (\$)

## Multiple Dependent Claims

7 - 20 or HP = 0 x 0 = 0

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20

## Fee (\$)

## Fee Paid (\$)

0 0

## Indep. Claims

## Extra Claims

## Fee (\$)

## Fee Paid (\$)

1 - 3 or HP = 0 x 0 = 0

HP = highest number of independent claims paid for, if greater than 3

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## 4. OTHER FEE(S)

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## Fees Paid (\$)

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed March 24, 2006, Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks.